

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the following paragraphs of the specification. Applicant includes herewith an Attachment for Specification Amendments showing a marked up version of each replacement paragraph.

***Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 11 and replace it with the following new paragraph:***

For centuries acupuncture has been used in many parts of the world in the treatment of widely different diseases and ailments. And often with remarkable results. Up till now the treatment has in principle ~~consisted in~~ consisted of the subcutaneous insertion of metal needles at certain points of the skin (acupoints) in connection with the so-called meridians. No satisfactory explanation has ever been given as to why such a process should have a physiological (or other type of) effect. And it has been characteristic for acupuncture treatments that the results were often very varying and unpredictable.

***Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 7 and replace it with the following new paragraph:***

There are volumes written about acupuncture practices relative to various ailments, and almost all of these ~~treatises talks~~ treatises talk about meridians and acupuncture points, but I still haven't seen any (scientific) attempt to explain why the insertion of a needle in one of these points should have any kind of effect.

***Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 1 and replace it with the following new paragraph:***

The field will make ~~airborne, charged~~ airborne charged particles move, the positive particles in the direction of the field, the negative in the opposite direction.

***Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 7 and replace it with the following new paragraph:***

It appears from the application in question that it is of vital importance that the electrical potential of the object being treated, human or animal, relative to ground is being monitored continuously. This is a question, which never seems to have been ~~addresses~~addressed in traditional acupuncture therapy, and this may be an essential reason for the great variance in the effects of traditional acupuncture treatment.

***Please delete the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 19 and replace it with the following new paragraph:***

The invention comprises, according to Fig. 5, of a negative ion generator, a feed back unit) for measuring and controlling the exposure and dose to the object to be treated, a cable for maintaining the potential of the object and an insulative cover.